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Via Hand Delivery

Jean Jewell, Secretary Idaho Public Utilities Commission 472 W. Washington Street P.O. Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0074

RE: Silver Star Telephone Company (SIL-T-14-01)

Dear Jean:

Enclosed please find for inclusion in the Commission's record in the above-referenced case four (4) copies of the affidavit confirming publication of legal notice of Silver Star Telephone Company's application filed with the Commission on November 12, 2014.

Sincerely

Michael C. Creamer

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Enclosure(s)

cc: Michelle Motzkus



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LEGAL NOTICE
OF
SILVER STAR TELEPHONE
COMPANY
APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY
TO GUARANTY LOAN
CASE NO. SIL-T-14-01

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 12, 2014, Silver Star Telephone Company filed with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission an Application for authority to guaranty a loan in the principal amount of \$2,222,222.00 to be made by the Rural Telephone Finance Cooperative to the Applicant's parent company Horizon Communications, Inc.

The Application is on file with, and may be obtained from, the Commission, whose offices are located at 427 W. Washimgton, Boise, Idaho 83702-5918 (208-334-0300), or may be viewed on the Commission's homepage at: http://www.puc.idaho.gov/fileroom/cases/summary/tele.html. Any person desiring to comment on said Application must file petitions or protests with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission within fourteen (14) days of the filing date. If no protests are received within this time limit, the Commission may consider the Application and enter its Order without setting the matter for hearing. If written protests are filed with the Commission will consider the same, and in its discretion, may set a hearing. Petitions or protests must be filed with: Jean Jewell, Secretary, Idaho Public Utilities Commission, 427 W. Washington, Boise, Idaho 83720.

Jean Jewell, Secretary 83720

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JANICE HILDRETH, being duly sworn, deposes and says. That she is the Principal Clerk of The Idaho Statesman, a daily newspaper printed and published at Boise, Ada County, State of Idaho, and having a general circulation therein, and which said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said County during a period of twelve consecutive months prior to the first publication of the notice, a copy of which is attached hereto: that said notice was published in The Idaho Statesman, in conformit with Section 60-108, Idaho Code, as amended, for:

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COUNTY OF ADA)

On this 19th day of November in the year of 2014 before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared before m Janice Hildreth known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument. and being by first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same.

Notary Public FOR Idaho Residing at: Boise, Idaho

My Commission expires: 2/11/2020